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19th Sunday in Ordinary Time-August 11, 2024

Pastor: Most Rev. Mark E. Brennan
Bishop of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 8:15 am, Vigil 5:30 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM & 5:00 PM
Monday & Friday 8:15 AM
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 12:00 PM

Mass from the Basilica is live streamed on our Facebook & YouTube page, Sundays at 10:30 AM

Mass from the Diocese is being live-streamed at 6 p.m. on Saturday, where it remains online.
The link is <https://dwc.org/home/mass/>

Listen to EWTN on WLUX 1450 AM
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<https://www.ewtn.com/radio/schedule>

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday's 4:00-5:00 PM or by appointment.
304-342-8175

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Saturday's 4:00-5:00 PM.



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

“We, at the Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, are a diverse community of the poor, the disadvantaged and hungry, the well-to-do, the youth, elderly, visitors and those seeking refuge.

As a community of many cultures and races, we stand for unity in our diversity by expressing our love of God the Father through prayer and worship, through service to one another, through the ministry of welcoming, through evangelization and ecumenism. With the Bishop, we shall pursue this mission faithfully through the example of Jesus Christ, the power of the Holy Spirit and the gifts and talents of our members.” All are welcome today, especially visitors, guests and those who might be new to the community.

Basilica of the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

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SACRAMENTS

Anointing of the Sick, Confession, Infant Baptism, Weddings
For information/to schedule any of the above 304-342-8175

MUSIC

Music Director: TBD 342-8175
Principal Organist: Gregory Gray 380-4786

OTHER PARISH GROUPS OR MINISTRIES

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For information on Catholic Charities
Contact: Karen or Sam Gross 346-2608
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SH Gift Shop: Antonetta Stevens 415-8132 or Kathy Lamb 344-2011
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Sharing Our Treasure - 08/4/2024

Regular Collection: \$12,623 Candles: \$80
Smile (Sisters): \$496 Needy Student: \$441
Partners in Hope: \$240 Social Concerns: \$220
Mission Appeal: \$1505 (\$7374) Assumption: \$350
Education of Seminarians: \$225

Thank you for your faithful generosity.

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at the Basilica 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time-August 11, 2024

08/10 Sat. 5:30 pm + Aleksander Florek
08/11 Sun. 8:00 am + People of the Parish
10:30 am + Dr. Thomas Janicki
5:00 pm + Rev. Msgr. Daniel M. Kirwin

08/12 Mon. 8:15 am + Rev. Lawrence Becker

08/13 Tues. 12:00 pm Ruth, Jay & Joe Mullen

08/14 Wed. 12:00 pm + NO NOON MASS

08/14 Wed. **Vigil of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
5:30 pm + Maria Corazon Sablot

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
08/15 Thur. 8:15 am + John D. Sadd
12:00 pm + Adele Bobinger
5:30 PM + People of the Parish

08/16 Fri. 8:15 am + Most Rev. Bernard W. Schmitt
12:00 pm + Charles "Ken" Surber

08/17 Sat. 8:15 am + Rev. Joseph M. Mascioli

08/17 Sat. 5:30 pm + John Huxley
08/18 Sun. 8:00 am + Joanne Smith
10:30 am + Mariellen Higgs
5:00 pm + People of the Parish

Ministry Schedule week of August 17/18

Lector Schedule

5:30 PM-Maricel Bernardo
8:00 AM-Megan Harris
10:30 AM-Maryrose Nair
5:00 PM-Jason Pizatella

Eucharistic Ministers Schedule

5:30 PM-Kerri Grant, John Willson 4 volunteers
8:00 AM-Greg Bolles, Karen & Sam Gross, 3 volunteers
10:30 AM-Perry Ayoob, Jack & Annabelle Walsh, 3 volunteers
5:00 PM-Debra Basham, Agnes Smith, Angelita Zamora, 3 Volunteers

The Pope's Monthly Intention

August-For political leaders

We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.



Our Seminarian Michael Tupta is in Rome. If you would like to send him a note his address is:

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mjtupta@gmail.com

A note from the Associate Rector...

Dear Sisters and Brothers of Sacred Heart Family,
Greetings on the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time!
I am glad to write a note.....

Last drop of drink gives a special taste, just one and half weeks left to reopen the Schools for New School Year. Yes it is true that last week of summer is so sweet with shopping (purchasing not what I want or like but what I need for my school year) I still remember my mother was so busy to purchase for me school uniforms, books, all the stationary which I need for my new school year..... I hope the same with you all parents and students..... "School bells are ringing loud and clear; vacation's over, school is here."

– Winifred C. Marshal

Whenever I say Mass for students I address them as dear Students "future of the Nation and Church". So let us all pray for all our children who are aspiring to be the future of the World, Nation and Church. How blessed we are to have Sacred Heart Grade School and Charleston Catholic High School, one is left side of the Church and other right side of the Church. It recalls for me Matthew 20:21 Jesus said to her, "What do you wish?" She answered him, "Command that these two sons of mine sit, one at your right and the other at your left, in your kingdom." Dear parents hurry up like mother of James and John....

Let us also pray for our Rector Fr. Don who is on vacation, for his safe trip and return.

God's blessings

In Christ,
Fr. Roy



Do you know someone who wants to become Catholic?

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults OCIA, (formerly known as RCIA) is the process established for the universal Church for individuals to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation — Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist. This initiation process also involves a parish community experiencing a renewal in faith as it prepares and welcomes new members into the Church. The OCIA speaks of conversion as a "spiritual journey." Centered on fostering a deep relationship with Jesus and the Church he founded, this journey takes place through distinct stages over a period of time (early September to Easter) suitable to bring about a thorough catechesis, significant experience of the parish community, and commitment to the liturgical and moral life of the Catholic faithful. The OCIA process is a restoration of the ancient catechumenate, arising within the first three centuries following the era of the apostles. It was the early Church's way of Christianizing the pagan Roman Empire. The Second Vatican Council called for the restoration and use of this venerable and powerful method of initiation for the worldwide Church.

Are you or do you know someone who would like to take this journey? If so, please contact Father Don Higgs, Rector (dhiggs@dwc.com), Deacon Michael Kawash, OCIA Director (mak@ramlaw.com or 304-549-6453), or the parish office 304-342-8175. An inquiry session will be held in early September.



Religious Education News...

Parents can pick up registration forms for 2024-25 in the vestibule of the Church or go to the parish website, www.sacredheartcathedral.com and print one out. RE will begin again in September.

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A Pilgrimage to Catholic Italy with Fr. Don DEADLINE APPROACHING, SPACE IS LIMITED

Fr. Don invites you to join him on a spiritually enriching 12-Day pilgrimage to Catholic Italy October 14-25, 2024.

Highlights include: Florence, Siena, Assisi, the Isle of Capri, Pompeii, Rome, The Vatican and an audience with the Pope. Flight to and from Charleston, W.V. included.

The cost of \$5899 includes breakfasts and dinners, tours, r/t flights, 4-5 star hotels, motorcoach, a farewell dinner at a local restaurant in Rome and memories to cherish forever. Don't miss this once in a lifetime pilgrimage to visit and pray at the Catholic places you have heard of all your life. Plus, you will see the world-famous sites of Italy as well.

For the itinerary, more details and the option to register online, go to: <https://bit.ly/HiggsItaly> or call Fr. Don at 304-685-2367.

Rosary Study Starts September 3, 2024

The Four Mysteries of the Rosary will be the topic of this year's fall, adult prayer enrichment group.

The group meets each Tuesday morning in the Sacred Heart Cordis Center, 1114 Virginia St. E., from 10:00-11:30 am.

The cost of the book is \$13.00. Registration is required by contacting, Dr. Bob Harrison at DRBOBWV@AOLCOM or Cell/ Text 304-932-8246

The registration deadline is Monday, August 26, 2024.



Upcoming Events for Knights of Columbus Council 12630.

Diaper Drive-During August our Knights of Columbus Council will conduct a Diaper Drive to benefit the

Metro Valley Gabriel Project which helps families with babies. Sizes 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 are the most needed. Also donations of baby wipes, baby lotion, baby wash and diaper cream are needed. You may leave donated items in the baby crib located in the entrance lobby to the Gathering Space

The **St. Joseph Men's Group** at Sacred Heart will be hosting the Knights of Columbus teaching series, **Into the Breach for Catholic Men**, who wish to explore a deeper relationship with their faith. The group will meet on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 pm in the Basilica's Gathering Space/Sacristy, our first meeting was Wednesday, August 7. Mike Tupta is leading this group. All interested Catholic Men are encouraged to attend.

Our next **Hot Dog and Ice Cream Social** is Sunday, **August 25th** starting about 11:30 am.



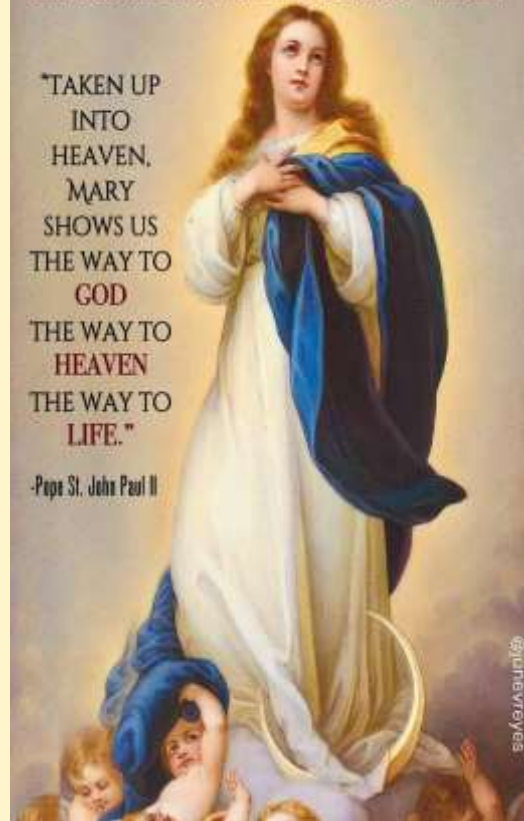
Lay Fraternity of St. Dominic Established in WV

Upon approval from the Dominican Order of the Province of St. Joseph and the consent of Most Rev. Mark E. Brennen, Bishop of The Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, the first Lay Fraternity of St. Dominic is Officially established in West Virginia at the Basilica of the CO-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in Charleston. The Lay Fraternities of St. Dominic is a branch of the Dominican Order for lay members. If you would like more information about Lay Dominicans you can contact us by e-mail at: laydominicans613@gmail.com or go to our website: wvlaydominicans.org.

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN

"TAKEN UP
INTO
HEAVEN,
MARY
SHOWS US
THE WAY TO
GOD
THE WAY TO
HEAVEN
THE WAY TO
LIFE."

-Pope St. John Paul II



Solemnity of the Assumption

The Catholic Church believes that Mary, the mother of Jesus, was assumed body and soul into heaven at the end of her life. We believe in the resurrection of bodies that decay after death; Mary needed no resurrection of the body because hers was preserved from corruption. She was assumed into heaven.

This belief is a counterpart to the Catholic belief in the Immaculate Conception. To prepare a womb for the coming of the Word Made Flesh, God preserved Mary from all sin from the moment of her conception. Mary did not experience any sin—including original sin, which leads to further sin and death. Hence, sinless (immaculate) Mary also did not experience death as other mortals do. She was assumed into heaven.

The Preface for this day was composed after the Second Vatican Council. It includes these ideas about Mary, as well as this idea about the Church: We are a pilgrim people. This image had been enshrined in the council's Dogmatic Constitution on the Church. The entire Church makes a pilgrimage toward heaven. Mary, who achieved this goal, is a sign of hope and comfort for everyone else along the way. She is the beginning and the image of the Church as it comes to perfection.

The Mass for the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is celebrated in the evening of August 14 and anytime during the day on August 15. When this solemnity falls on a Sunday, it replaces the prayers and readings of Ordinary Time. August 15 is a holyday of obligation in the United States of America, except in those years when it falls on a Saturday or a Monday. This allows those responsible for preparing Sunday worship to relax a bit more.

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CCHS seeks a motivated, energetic, and organized Administrative Assistant. Candidates should be team oriented, flexible, and organized with strong communication and computer skills. Job responsibilities include interaction with current and perspective school families, coordination with faculty, and administration, and data entry/management. Interested candidates should send resume and cover letter to colleenhoyer@charlestoncatholic-crw.org.



Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston St John XXIII Pastoral Center Employment Opportunity Guest Services Coordinator

The Guest Services Coordinator at St John XXIII Pastoral Center, as a member of Diocesan Services, is committed to advancing the mission of Jesus Christ and offering hospitality to our guests.

The Guest Services Coordinator is responsible for working with guests to plan and book lodging and events. Some of the required qualifications include multi-tasker, problem solver & self-starter, detail oriented, excellent written & verbal skills, computer knowledge, team player and welcoming & respectful to all faith & secular guests. Additionally, the position entails the ability to perform the physical requirements of kitchen aide & housekeeper.

Works evenings, weekends and holidays/holydays as needed. Helps in kitchen & housekeeping when needed. For more information, see the diocesan website <https://dwc.org/diocese/administrative/human-resources/employment-opportunities/> Contact the Director, Gerri Wright at 304.342.0507 or gwright@dwc.org to schedule an interview or for more information.



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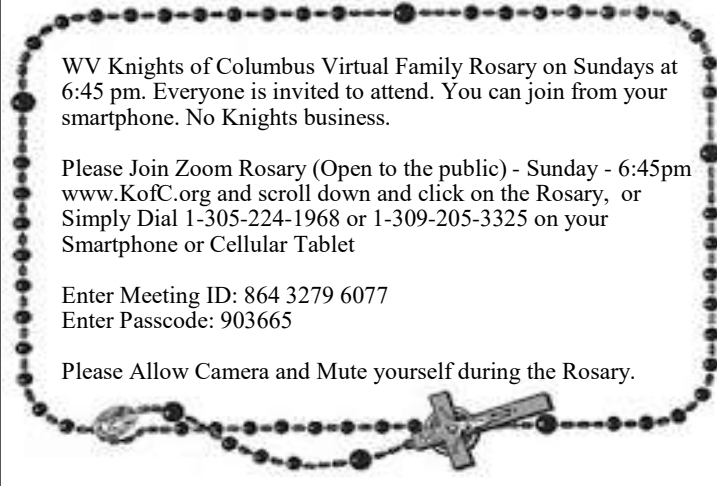
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Now Hiring-Our Parish has full-time and part-time teacher positions for the Early Learning Center and After-school care programs. Diocesan benefits and salaries commensurate with experience and education. Applicants must be at least 18 years old, have a high school diploma and clear a background check. WVIT and ACDS helpful but not required. Please contact Sheila Kerekes at 304-414-5757 or mail your resume to 1114 Virginia St. E., Charleston, WV 25301.

To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may confidentially contact WV Child Protective Services at 800.352.6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact the Diocese at 888.434.6237 or 304.233.0880.

New Mausoleum to be built at Mount Olivet Cemetery-the only Catholic Cemetery in Kanawha County.

The church has consulted with Tim White at Barlow Bonsall Funeral Home to help us get the mausoleum built. You may contact him at (304)342-8135 or his cell phone at (304)395-4824 for more information or to set up a private meeting. This may be done either virtually or in person. Affordable monthly payment plans are available.



*“Lord Jesus Christ, by your own three days in the tomb, you hal-
 lowed the graves of all who believed in you and so made the grave a
 sign of hope that promises resurrection even as it claims our mortal
 bodies” – Rite of Committal*

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Baptismal Preparation Class for First Time Parents
 To schedule a baptism preparation class or to get more information please call 304-342-8175.



Sacred Heart Early Learning Center
 Ages 6 Weeks to 2 Years open to children of all faiths, located at 204 Leon Sullivan Way. Hours of operation are Monday-Friday 7:00 am to 5:30 pm, year round.

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